

RESOLUTION FOR GUS H TULLOSS BRIDGE

WHEREAS, Gus H. Tulloss is a life-long resident of Rocky Mount, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss is a graduate of East Carolina University with a bachelor's degree in business administration; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss distinguished himself in the Rocky Mount and regional community by serving through his business and volunteer work; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss served as president of the North Carolina Jaycees, Rocky Mount Rotary Club and Rocky Mount Area Chamber of Commerce, chairman of the Salvation Army Advisory Board and a member of the University of North Carolina Board of Governors; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss was awarded the Order of the Longleaf Pine in 1980, the East Carolina Boy Scout Distinguished Service award in 2005 and the Rocky Mount Chamber's Distinguished Citizen of the Year award in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss continued to serve his community and the State when he was appointed in 2008 by Governor Mike Easley to represent Highway Division Four on the North Carolina Board of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss was reappointed to the North Carolina Board of Transportation by Governors Bev Perdue, Pat McCrory and Roy Cooper; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss always welcomed new Board Members with kindness and enthusiasm, helping guide many through their new challenges serving the Board; and

WHEREAS, Tulloss served on the state Board of Transportation for 12 years and retired from the Board in July 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Rocky Mount City Council respectfully requests that the North Carolina Department of Transportation name a bridge to signify and honor his contributions to the citizens of Rocky Mount, Highway Division Four and the State of North Carolina.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names the bridge on Sunset Avenue crossing Wesleyan Boulevard in Rocky Mount the *Gus H Tulloss Bridge*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 6th day of May 2021 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Chairman


Secretary of Transportation